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**IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE**

Applicant(s): Stonoha, et al.  
 Serial No.: 09/676,805  
 For: LABEL MAKER AND METHOD  
 Filed: September 29, 2000  
 Examiner: Edward R. Cosimano  
 Art Unit: 3639  
 Confirmation No.: 2958  
 Customer No.: 27,623

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**Mail Stop Amendment**  
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Dear Sir:

**AMENDMENT TRANSMITTAL**

We are enclosing an Amendment in response to the communication dated October 7, 2005 in the above-identified application.

Petition for extension of time pursuant to 37 C.F.R. §§ 1.136 and 1.137 is hereby made if, and to the extent, required. The fee for this extension of time is calculated to be \$\_\_\_\_\_ to extend the time for filing this response until \_\_\_\_\_.

The fee for any change in number of claims has been calculated as shown below.

CLAIMS AS AMENDED						
	Claims Remaining After Amendment		Highest Number Previously Paid	Present Extra	Rate	
Total Claims	46	Minus	72	0	x \$50.00	\$
Independent Claims	3	Minus	11	0	x \$200.00	\$
MULTIPLE DEPENDENT CLAIM FEE						x \$360.00 = \$
TOTAL FEE FOR CLAIM CHANGES						\$0.00
1/2 FILING FEE FOR SMALL ENTITY						S/N/A

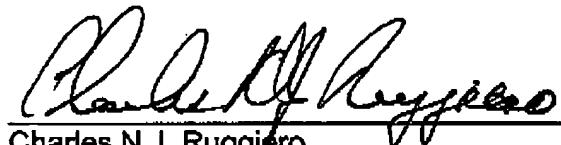
The total fee for this amendment, including claim changes and any extension of time is calculated to be \$ 0.00.

       A check in the amount of \$ 0.00 is attached.

The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge any additional fees under 37 C.F.R. §§1.16 and 1.17 which may be required with this communication or during the entire pendency of the application, or credit any overpayment, to Deposit Account No. 01-0467. A duplicate copy of this Form is enclosed.

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Sir:

In reply to the non-final Office Action dated October 7, 2005, please enter the following amendments in the consideration of the above patent application.

Amendment to the claims begins on page 2.

Remarks begin on page 14.